

FACT SHEET



SCOPE

The Metrorail Acoustical Barrier Replacement Program consists of the installation of acoustical barriers with associated hardware along the Metrorail system where Type "B" concrete barriers have been removed.



START DATE

Phase 1 of the program started in June 2019.



PROJECTED COMPLETION DATE

The program's estimated completion date is December 2022.

WHAT ARE **ACOUSTICAL BARRIERS?**

As related to Miami Metrorail's elevated guideway, an acoustical barrier is an element that is installed along the edge of the guideway to abate sound/noise produced by a passing train therefore avoiding propagation of sound/noise to adjacent properties.



GOAL

To remove and replace all Type "B" barriers made from concrete and metal. with newly designed acoustical barriers that include a metal support post and lighter and more modern panels known for their stability, strength, and ease of installation and maintenance.



The program spans along the Metrorail alignment apart from the Airport and Palmetto extensions as well as a half-mile area between the Brickell and Metrorail stations.



The total investment of the program is approximately \$82 million.



